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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/822,823	04/02/2001	Terry Thomas	7771-62	8090

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR SEPARATING CELLS USING IMMUNOROSSETTES

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SAUNDERS, DAVID A	1644	435-007240

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Micheline Gravelle, Reg. No. 40,261 April 20, 2004

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Your Reference: 09/822,823  
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**ISSUE FEE**

The Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**Re: United States Patent Application No. 09/822,823**  
**Filed: April 2, 2001**  
**Entitled: Method For Separating Cells Using Immunorosettes**  
**Inventors: Terry Thomas, Carrie Peters and Peter Lansdorp**  
**Art Unit: 1644**  
**Class-Subclass: 435-007240**  
**Examiner: David A. Saunders**

This correspondence is in response to the Notice of Allowance dated January 22, 2004. Enclosed is the completed Issue Fee Transmittal Forms for filing in connection with this application.

Applicant hereby respectfully requests the claim to small entity status under Section 37 C.F.R. 1.27. Accordingly, Applicant submits herewith \$965, which is the amount of the publication fee and half of the issue fee indicated on the attached Fee Transmittal form. This fee is included in our firm cheque No. 6422.

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New formal drawing is simultaneously being filed in response to the Notice of Patent Drawings Objection.

Respectfully submitted,

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